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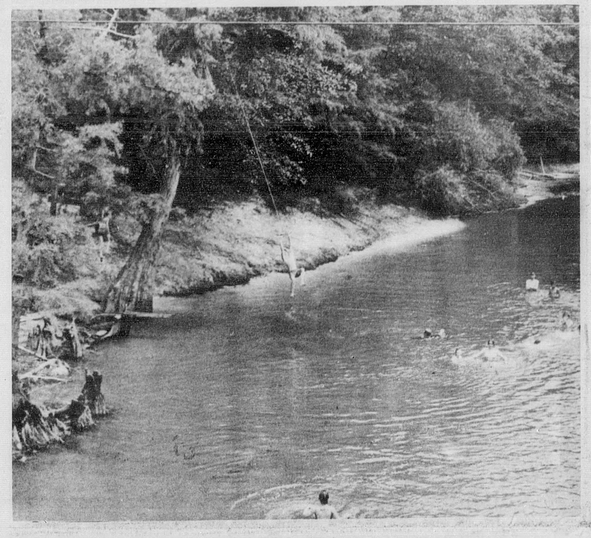

"COME ON IN, THE WATER'S FINE" - AT COLES BRIDGE, SNELLGROVE'S MILL, ON PEA RIVER. THE COOL SUMMER SCENE IS COMPLETE WITH TREE SWING AND DIVING BOARD.

Doug Martin Named To Head School Board

The Elba City School Board elected and installed a new chairman Tuesday night in a meeting postponed from last week due to the holiday week. The one-year term will be filled by board member Doug Martin, who moves up from vice chairman. Elected vice chairman is Russell Cash. Martin replaces Ed Cooper in the position.

In other action, the Board heard a report from Mrs. Addieleen Prescott on the law that mandates an education be offered every child regardless of physical or mental condition. She noted that the state was sending an additional $31,506 to Elba to begin this training.

Superintendent Elmer Taylor discussed the enrollment and noted that both enrollment and Average Daily Attendance (ADA) had declined from the year before, causing Elba to lose at least one teacher unit. Taylor presented a letter of resignation from Mrs. Virginia Sowards which was accepted by the Board. The Board voted to hire Miss Sheryl Cooper as reading teacher in the ESSA program, Mr. Rickey Speigner as Human Relations teacher in the ESSA program and re-hired Mrs. Rebecca Hayes and Mrs. Mary Grider in the elementary school. Both the latter women taught for their first year in the Elba system last year.

Taylor noted that there are openings for a speech therapist, learning disabilities specialist and an aide for TMR special education. Also the next meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 2nd.

Commissioners Continue Study Of Garbage Pickup Systems

The Coffee County Commission met in regular session on Monday, July 11, at the Courthouse in Elba, and decided to visit Dallas County on Thursday, July 14, to examine the garbage pick-up system used in that county.

A group of commissioners visited Baldwin County last week to examine their garbage pick-up system, and a written report on Baldwin County's garbage system was presented to each commissioner.

The visits to various counties by the commissioners are an attempt to find an alternative method of garbage pick-up. Coffee County presently uses a container pick-up system in rural areas of the county, but the commission feels that the system is no longer financially acceptable. Commissioner Jack Hornsby stated recently, "There has to be a better way to pick-up the garbage," and the visits are an attempt to find a better way.

The meeting was relatively short with no major resolutions passed. In action taken Monday, the commission:

***was informed by a letter from the U.S.D.A. that Coffee County had been declared a disaster area and was available for financial aid;

***received a copy of a letter sent from Pensions and Security Director Ron Smith to the state office requesting permission to transfer a food stamp employee back to the Pensions and Securtiy Office. The transfer will ease financial problems at the Food Stamp Office;

Drop-box used in present garbage pick-up system in county.

***was informed by Probate Judge James Sawyer that he had given Civil Defense Director Moose Hope permission to purchase a scanner (in a previous meeting the commission had decided to withhold payment because no one had authorized Hope to purchase the scanner);

***voted to continue to use Home Life Insurance Company for county employees;

***agreed to have the bathrooms at the courthouse painted;

***authorized Sheriff Neil Grantham to pay $500 in dues for membership in the Sheriff's Association;

***approved $10 payment to renew a subscription to "Mr. County Commissioner" magazine. The magazine is sent to the public library;

***appointed Mr. Heber Clark to serve on the Damascus Water Authority for a term ending in March 1981;

***agreed to remove stumps from the churchyard at the Sardis Methodist Church;

***and voted to reimburse Sheriff Neil Grantham in the amount of $184 which Grantham had paid to employ a part-time jailer for two weeks during the permanent jailers' vacations.

Fairview Man Found Dead In Auto Sunday Morning

Alford Waldon, age 42, of the Fairview Community, was discovered dead early Sunday morning in the back seat of his automobile on a seldom-used road off Highway 27 near the Conagra Poultry Plant.

Waldon's body was found by a friend who had gone to search for him after Waldon's mother reported he hadn't come home Saturday night. Coffee County Sheriff Neil Grantham said Waldon's car apparently broke down and he probably got into the rear seat to sleep. Grantham added it was believed that he suffered a heart attack.

Garbage Truck Center Of City Council Debate

The Elba City Council meeting began rather routinely Tuesday night, but all eyes appeared to be on the item on the agenda concerning the garbage truck body. After all other business had been conducted, Mayor Folsom turned on his tape recorder and opened the meeting to publicly discuss the matter that had kept the city officials in an uproar for the past several days.

Folsom began the discussion by asking Street Superintendent Gerald Wambles to relate what happened at the beginning of the incident. Wambles told of taking the broken garbage truck to Enterprise on Thursday and getting a quick estimate of five or six thousand dollars. Wambles said he told a Mr. Frank Moore to check the truck and call the city clerk or mayor with a price on the repairs. Folsom then asked City Clerk Jack Prescott to relate what happened when Moore called. Prescott said that in the first call, Moore said the truck was in bad condition and would cost $12,000 to repair and suggested buying a new one for less than $15,000.

Folsom then related that on Friday he, Prescott, Wambles and Councilmen Cleo Hawkins and Mike Russell went to Enterprise and talked to Mr. Moore about the garbage truck body. Reportedly Moore told them it was beyond repair and not worth fixing and told Folsom he would allow nothing on trade-in.

The debate centered around this visit Friday. Prescott, Wambles, Hawkins and Russell all said they left with the impression Elba had bought the body under the provision in the law to spend more than the bid law limits without bids if it was an emergency. The above men were under the impression that Mayor Folsom said he was declaring it an emergency and buying the body.

Folsom denies saying this, or that he said he was voting twice to make sure the motion would pass the council. Folsom said he would declare the emergency and vote twice if necessary IF it was a real emergency.

Councilman Wayland Sharpless spoke up and repeated a conversation he had had with Folsom shortly after this in the city hall. Sharpless said that Folsom told him Elba needed the body and couldn't wait until the next meeting and also refused to call a special meeting to discuss the matter as Sharpless requested. Again Folsom said he told Sharpless that he said he would buy it IF it was an emergency. Sharpless countered with the statement that Folsom told him he was doing it because Elba had to have the truck working. Sharpless said he again opposed the purchase and requested a full council meeting.

Prescott related that after returning from Enterprise Friday, he received a phone call from Mr. Moore requesting a purchase order number. Prescott stated that he told Moore he could not issue a purchase order at that time because he felt the matter was still up in the air and probably would be until Tuesday night.

Saturday morning, Hawkins and Mr. Ray Trammell went to Enterprise and looked over the broken equipment. Trammell, who had experience constructing that type garbage bodies estimated repairs on the old body at less than $2,000. With this information Hawkins returned to Elba and related this to Folsom. Monday morning, Folsom said he went to Enterprise and got the truck and returned it to Elba for the repairs. He noted that at this time he also told Mr. Moore Elba was not buying his new truck body.

Moore reportedly then called several councilmen and explained that he was in a tight because he had already purchased the new body from Garwood and it could not be returned. The council was told that Moore had borrowed the money at the bank on a ten-day note and he was in a real bind.

Monday afternoon, Moore, Folsom and several councilmen met in city hall and engaged in a heated discussion on the matter, and Folsom again said he was not declaring it an emergency and had not told Moore Elba was definitely taking the body.

Councilman Jimmy Wise, who was not present during any of the Thursday and Friday and Saturday discussions, was present Monday, and at the meeting Tuesday noted that regardless of what happened, a man's word should be as good as a written contract. Wise said he was called from City Hall and told it was an emergency is why he agreed to the purchase. When told by Folsom that he didn't declare it an emergency, Wise asked him if that was so, why did they all go to Enterprise Friday.

Sharpless again asked why a special meeting was not called as he had requested, but received no answer.

Folsom said that the "book" tells how an emergency can be declared, and he felt those conditions have not been met in Elba.

Folsom also said, "When we buy a body or truck, we will let bids and let everyone who makes garbage trucks bid."

No definite action was taken after each councilman and others involved had voiced opinions, but Councilman Wise made a motion that was approved unanimously. It required that the City of Elba doesn't enter into any verbal agreement on any major purchase over $500 without a regular or special meeting of the council, and no telephone polls be substituted for such meeting.

The garbage body debate was still in progress Wednesday at press time, and the possibility of a special council meeting to rehash the matter was highly probable.

In other action, the Council approved a rezoning on Taylor Mill Road after there were no protests; told Mayor Folsom to get prices and buy a new lawn mower, heard a request from Dr. John Kimmey that the city give Miss Eunora Farris an answer soon on accepting her home for a library; also heard Dr. Kimmey complain about the messy shoulders of Highway 84 toward New Brockton, but in city limits; briefly discussed the $20,000 paving work to be done by highway department and instructed Mr. Wambles to survey the streets and report back; instructed police chief to see that Charlie Marler moves some cows as he had promised; authorized the city clerk to request bids on two new police cars and approved payment of $11,000 in monthly bills.

Operation Santa Now Officially Underway Here

Even though 1977 is only half a year old, Operation Santa Claus is already underway in Elba and other Wiregrass communities.

On Tuesday of this week, Sgt. Jim Prater, Project Coordinator from Ft. Rucker, met with Mayor Bob Folsom to kick off the project in Elba.

"We are starting early this year," explained Sgt. Prater, "because last year we got a lot of toys too late to repair," and he wanted to give ourselves plenty of time to work on them this year."

Even so, 30,000 toys were distributed among 25 communities in the Wiregrass area.

Operation Santa Claus is a project that has the full, year-round attention of 10 - 15 volunteer Army personnel of the 416th Transportation Company of Ft. Rucker. They begin their task of repairing, putting together, painting, and all other repair work in January, after Christmas is over, and all the toys are distributed.

"The work area is divided into sections -- such as 'Doll Section,' 'Bike Section,' etc., says Sgt. Prater, "and the personnel really enjoy their work on the toys."

He says they will take parts and pieces of toys, such as bicycles, and come up with a good bike for a child. They are all painted and fixed up like new.

In Elba, pickup point for toys is the Police Station. Any group, organization, or individual may contribute toys in any shape of repair.

Also, Sgt. Prater says they will travel in a radius of up to 125 miles to pick up toys.

UTILITY BOARD TOLD

All Water Wells Now Operating In Elba

The Elba Water and Electric Board met Tuesday evening, July 12, at City Hall with all members present.

The members are Charles Hayes, Oscar Vaughan, Mike Russell, Bob Folsom, and Cleo Hawkins.

After the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved, Board Chairman Charles Hayes informed the board that $677.66 was owed to the Water and Electric Department in past due accounts from the June 1 billing, $168.27 was owed in inactive accounts and $285.51 was owed from residents whose meters were pulled in early July. City Clerk Jack Prescott reported the deposits had not been transferred in any of the past due accounts, but felt the deposits would cover most of the money owed.

A report revealed an increase in overtime hours being put in by Water and Electric Department employees, but Ed Compton, Superintendent of the Water and Electric Department, said the increase was due to the recent electrical storms and transformer work being done.

Total revenue of $101,538 was reported in June, while operating expenses totalled $102,517 for a net loss of $1021. This loss was incurred by the Electrical Department. The city made a profit of $7000 on water last month, but spent $1927 on sewage.

Hayes told the board, "We're still able to pay our bills and keep our heads above the water."

Chairman Hayes also reported that all three wells in Elba were working fine, and that he forsees no problems in providing water to all residents throughout the summer.

The board discussed the need for regulator valves in the city, and after the members gave their views on the matter, it was agreed the valves would be of value to the city.

In closing, the board agreed to send a bucket-truck to Woodland Grove Baptist Church to help install lights at the church's ballfield.

Elba Rescue Squad members join volunteers in search for Reardon.

Reardon Found Dead After Search

Willie Ray Reardon, age 52, of the Roeton Community, was found dead on Sunday, July 10, at 8:30 a.m., approximately 77 hours after he had been reported missing by members of his family.

The body was found in a wooded area only 1/2-mile from his home by Reardon's grandson.

Reardon was reported missing to the Brundidge Police Department at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, July 7. Family members felt something was wrong when Reardon was seen walking away from the home at 4:00 a.m. Thursday morning dressed only in a pair of pants and boots.

The members of the family began hunting for Reardon at 9:00 a.m., and hunted for one hour before contacting authorities.

Memebers of the Elba Rescue Squad, Sheriff's Deputies, National Guard members from Elba and Brundidge, and friends and relatives hunted for the missing man in the blazing sun with temperatures reaching the 100 degrees mark for three days before the body was discovered.

A helicopter from Ft. Rucker was called in to aid in the search as the perimeter of the hunt was widened. However, the body was found only 1/2 mile from the Reardon home.

County Coroner Marvin McIlwain listed exposure as the cause of death.

POOR ORIGINAL

BRAINSTORMS

With Ferrin Cox

Our city fathers are in a big dispute at press time about buying a new packer body for a garbage truck. We have listened to the arguments and statements about what is needed, and what has been said, and by whom it was said. After hearing all this, we sit back and attempt to come to some conclusion about just who is right, but alas, there is no clear cut RIGHT. First we think it is abuse of the law to declare an emergency and spend $15,000 of our tax money on a truck body without taking bids. Second, knowledgeable persons say the present truck can and will be fixed for less than $2000 and not the $12,000 quoted by the salesman. However if a majority of the voting members of the governing body tells a firm "go ahead, we will buy it by declaring an emergency," then the expense incurred by the firm was a direct result of this commitment (in this case by Mayor and two councilmen) and therefore, we have wrongs that lean to both a yes and also a no vote on the purchase. Three Elba councilmen, two city employees, and a representative of the garbage body firm say Mayor Folsom said Friday he was declaring an emergency and was buying the body. Five of these people were present in one group when the statement was reportedly made. Mayor Folsom says he used the word "IF," yet no one seems to remember this but him. However in less than thirty minutes after the group split up, City Clerk Jack Prescott, who was one of the group, refused to issue a purchase order to the firm and said he told the man he couldn't because all this was not sure until after the council meeting Tuesday night. Yet Monday, the man reports he has already borrowed the money at the bank, purchased the body and it can't be returned and Elba must take it. Mayor Folsom correctly quoted the law of declaring emergencies Tuesday night when he said it must be in writing and there is no such report in writing, and Folsom says he cannot and will not consider the conditions. He says Elba has ample garbage pick-up equipment, and the other truck will be fixed shortly. Folsom says such action would leave him and the others libel for a law suit for abusing the law, and on this point we agree. Members of the city council say a verbal commitment is as good as a purchase order and refusal to honor the commitment leaves the city open for a law suit and makes Elba the laughing stock of the state. Again we agree. Hence straddling is not our style, but in this case, we honestly don't have an opinion as to what would be the best move to make now. Probably, I would go running to some legal authority with considerable expertise in this field of law and hope he could protect me legally, and then worry about protecting my (or the city's) word next.

The above problem should never have happened and can only be summed up as innocence or ignorance on the part of those pulling the strings. It was said Tuesday night that steps were being taken to insure this never happened (a motion that major purchases MUST come before a full council meeting). This points up the danger of people electing all new officials every four years. Each new group must learn these lessons anew and make promises of not letting it happen again. We throw them out (either at election time or before). Then we flounder while the new folks search for the way out of the forest and continue to get lost. I wonder if it will ever end?

No wild fish tales this week 'cause I am busy with the garbage business and don't know anything about it either!

DEATH

MR. EARLIE L. WILSON

Mr. Earlie Lomax Wilson, 77, of Rt. 5, Elba, died Sunday evening, July 10 in the Elba General Hospital after a long illness.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. July 12, 1977, at Hayes Funeral Home Chapel, with the Revs. Frank Lowery and Wallace Sellers officiating. Burial followed in the Hebron Church cemetery, with Hayes Funeral Home directing.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Mildred Wilson, Elba; three daughters - Mrs. Doris Russell and Mrs. Ruby Bell, Apopka, Fl., and Mrs. Winnie Bell, Samson; six sons - James Wilson, Apopka, Lane Wilson, Detroit, Mich., Travis Wilson, Covington, Ga., Bill Wilson, Reynoldsburg, Ohio, Charles Wilson, Atlanta, Ga., and Jerry Wilson, Chattanooga; two step-sons, Raymond Lockler, Greensbrough, N. C., and Leonard Lockler, Columbus, Ga.; and 30 grandchildren.

MRS. LOIS BROOKS

Mrs. Lois Beatrice Brooks, 58, of Elba, Rt. 3, died Friday, July 8, in the Elba General Hospital.

Services were held at 2 p.m. July 11, 1977, in the Elba Church of God, with Rev. Charles Jolley officiating.

Burial followed in the Evergreen Cemetery with Hayes Funeral Home directing.

Survivors include three daughters - Mrs. Melta Owens, Sour Lake, Tex., Mrs. Mary Revell, Winter Haven, Fl., and Mrs. Kathy Vann, Opp; two sons, Bruce Anderson, Lake Wales, Fl., and Steve Anderson, Wagoner, Okla.; five sisters - Mrs. Rossie Whaley, Plant City, Fl., Mrs. Clara Case, Enterprise, Mrs. Odessa Hall, Zephyrhills, Fl., Mrs. Mildred Manring, Elba, and Mrs. Ruth Howell, Pensacola, Fl.; four brothers- W. E. Blair, Slocomb, Henry Blair, Panama City, Fl., Bill Blair, Ebro, Fl., and Robert Blair, Geneva; 12 grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

PERSONALS

Visiting with Mrs. Odie Maddox during the July 4th holidays were her children, Mrs. Maylene McDaniel Stamm and her husband, Warren, and son, Tommy, from Mohrsville, Pennsylvania; Mrs. Rosa Sinquefield of Atlanta, Ga.; - Mrs. Neva Fredrick of Phenix City, Al. Also visiting were other friends and relatives, Mr. Dick Stamm of Pennsylvania, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pringle and children of Atlanta.

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Miss Sarah White, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Whitworth and Wendy of Pascagoula, Miss., spent the 4th with Sarah and Debby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. J. White of New Brockton. Little Miss Wendy Whitworth stayed for an extended visit with her grandparents.

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Mr. Jesse T. Brooks of Ozark, formerly of Elba, underwent surgery at a Dothan hospital Wednesday, July 6th. His many friends here wish him a speedy recovery.

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Persons admitted to Elba General Hospital during the period of July 5 through 12 are as follows:

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Chamber of Commerce - 3rd Thursday, at 7:00 p.m. Elementary School

Lions Club - 2nd and 4th Tuesday nights at 7:00 p.m. Holley's Restaurant

Pilot Club - 2nd and 4th Tuesday nights at 7:30 p.m. Holley's Restaurant

American Legion meets 1st Tuesday at Legion Home at 7:00 p.m.

Water & Electric Board - 2nd Tuesday at 5:30 at City Hall

WEIGHT WATCHERS - Zion Chapel High School - Each Monday night at 6:30

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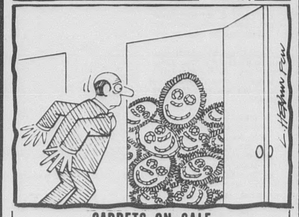

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Form 64p (Blake) (6-77) PUBLISHER'S COPY State Bank No. 65-565

Consolidated Report of Condition of "Elba Exchange Bank

of Elba in the State of Alabama and Domestic Subsidiaries at the close of business on June 30, 19 77

BALANCE SHEET		Sch.	Item	Col.		Mil.	Thou.	
ASSETS								
1.	Cash and due from banks	C	7			1	893	1
2.	U.S. Treasury securities	B	1	E			550	2
3.	Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	B	2	E		1	705	3
4.	Obligations of States and political subdivisions	B	3	E		3	263	4
5.	Other bonds, notes, and debentures	B	4	E			210	5
6.	Corporate stock					None		6
7.	Trading account securities					None		7
8.	Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	D	4				800	8
9. a.	Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	A	10		11 042			9a
b.	Less: Reserve for possible loan losses				148			b
c.	Loans, Net					10	894	c
10.	Direct lease financing						68	10
11.	Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises						180	11
12.	Real estate owned other than bank premises					None		12
13.	Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies					None		13
14.	Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding					None		14
15.	Other assets	G	7				178	15
16.	TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 thru 15)					19	741	16
LIABILITIES		Sch.	Item	Col.				
17.	Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	F	1f	A		5	214	17
18.	Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	F	1f	B+C		10	911	18
19.	Deposits of United States Government	F	2	A+B+C			305	19
20.	Deposits of States and political subdivisions	F	3	A+B+C		1	192	20
21.	Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions	F	4	A+B+C		None		21
22.	Deposits of commercial banks	F	5+6	A+B+C			15	22
23.	Certified and officers' checks	F	7	A			64	23
24.	TOTAL DEPOSITS (sum of items 17 thru 23)					17	701	24
a.	Total demand deposits	F	8	A	6 165			a
b.	Total time and savings deposits	F	8	B+C	11 536			b
25.	Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	E	4			None		25
26.	Other liabilities for borrowed money					None		26
27.	Mortgage indebtedness					None		27
28.	Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding					None		28
29.	Other liabilities	H	9				68	29
30.	TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)					17	769	30
31.	Subordinated notes and debentures					None		31
EQUITY CAPITAL								
32.	Preferred stock a. No. shares outstanding None (Par value)					None		32
33.	Common stock a. No. shares authorized 60,000							
	b. No. shares outstanding 32,210 (Par value)						322	33
34.	Surplus						322	34
35.	Undivided profits					1	328	35
36.	Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves					None		36
37.	TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 32 thru 36)					1	972	37
38.	TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 30, 31, and 37)					19	741	38
MEMORANDA								
1.	Average for 30 calendar days ending with call date:							
a.	Cash and due from banks (corresponds to item 1 above)					1	410	1a
b.	Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell (corresponds to item 8 above)					1	123	b
c.	Total loans (corresponds to item 9a above)					11	377	c
d.	Time deposits of $100,000 or more (corresponds to Memoranda items 3a plus 3b below)						318	d
e.	Total deposits (corresponds to item 24 above)					17	654	e
f.	Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase (corresponds to item 25 above)					None		f
g.	Other liabilities for borrowed money (corresponds to item 26 above)					None		g
2.	Standby letters of credit outstanding (as of call date)					None		2
3.	Time deposits of $100,000 or more (as of call date):							
a.	Time certificates of deposit in denominations of $100,000 or more						318	3a
b.	Other time deposits in amounts of $100,000 or more					None		b

I, Mary A. Lee, Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly (SWEAR/AFFIRM) that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: Mary A. Lee

(MAKE MARK FOR NOTARY'S SEAL)

State of Alabama, County of Coffee, ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of July, 19 77,
and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this company.
My commission expires August 25, 19 79 Notary Public.

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500	2 16	1 in 12,425	1 in 956	1 in 478	1 in 228
10	1,000	1 in 8,500	1 in 653	1 in 326	1 in 156
5	1,702	1 in 5,207	1 in 400	1 in 200	1 in 95
2	2,932	1 in 2,953	1 in 227	1 in 113	1 in 54
Small 1	10,525	1 in 1,481	1 in 114	1 in 57	1 in 27
TOTAL ON PRIZES	16,226	1 in 1,305	1 in 100	1 in 50	1 in 24

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USDA Grade "A" Fresh Fryer Breast QUARTERS lb. 59¢
Happy Home Tray Pak CORN DOGS 6 ct. pkg. $1.39
Hickory Smoked SLICED PICNICS lb. 69¢
Chopped Ham, Ham & Cheese or New England Loaf Oscar Mayer Sliced COLD CUTS 8 oz. pkg. $1.19

5 lbs. or more Fresh Lean GROUND BEEF lb. 73c
Market Pak SLICED BACON lb. $1.19

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Pillsbury Cinnamon ROLLS 10 oz. pkg. 59¢
Kraft Velveeta CHEESE 1 lb. size $1.29
T.V. Chilled ORANGE JUICE 32 oz. jar 55¢
Kraft Miracle WHIPPED OLEO 1 lb. tub 75¢

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NOTICE OF SALE

BERTIE L. WILKS, HAZEL W. JACKSON, GRACE W. STEVENS, AGNES W. CHANCELLOR, MADGE W. JOHNSON, WAYNE W. RUGG, and SHIRLEY W. DEAN Plaintiffs
vs.
NELL W. WILSON, defendant

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA
ELBA DIVISION
CIVIL ACTION NO.
E-Cu-77-79

In accordance with the decree of the Circuit Court of Coffee County, Alabama, Elba Division, entered in the above style cause, said decree being dated the 29th day of June, 1977, the undersigned, Jim Ellis, as Register of said Court, will proceed to sell, at public outcry, for cash, to the highest bidder or bidders, between the legal hours of sale, before the Courthouse door at Elba, Coffee County, Alabama, on Friday, the 29th day of July, 1977, the following described real estate located in the County of Coffee, State of Alabama, to wit:

The SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Section 26, the SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Section 27, the NE 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Section 34, and the NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Section 35, all in Township 7 North, Range 20 East, in Coffee County, Alabama, LESS AND EXCEPT, two parcels of land described as follows:

Excepted Parcel No. 1, being a parcel of land belonging to Howard Paul Lee and Velma Lee, described as "One acre of land situated in the Northeast corner of the NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4, Section 35, Township 7, Range 20, better described as beginning at the NE corner of the NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4, Section 35, Township 7, Range 20, and running West 17 1/2 yards, thence in a southwesterly direction along the Troy and Elba Road 109 yards, thence in an easterly, direction 74 yards to the quarter section line, thence along quarter section line to place of beginning."

Excepted Parcel No. 2, being a parcel of land belonging to John C. Wilson, described as "One acre of land described as follows: Beginning at a point where the South line of the forty intersects the margin of the State Highway from Elba to Troy, and running East 70 yards along the said forty line, thence North 70 yards, thence West 70 yards to margin of the State Highway, thence South along said State Highway to point of beginning, said one acre lying in a square in Section 35, Township 7, Range 20, being the NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of said Section 35; situated, lying and being in the County of Coffee and State of Alabama."

The lands described hereinabove contain, in the aggregate, 158 acres, more or less.

Subject to the right of way for public road crossing said land.

Said sale is being made for the purpose of the division of the proceeds of said sale amongst the joint owners and tenants thereof.

Dated this 29th day of June, 1977.

/s/Jim Ellis
Register
7/7/3tc

LEGAL NOTICE

Public Notice on Environmental Review--The City of Elba, Alabama-Community Development Block Grant-1977 Application #B-77-HN-01-0008

An Environmental Review has been made on the following Project Activity:

(1) Acquisition and clearance of substandard structures with subsequent relocation of families.

(2) Paving, curbing, and guttering of Tucker Avenue and sidewalk construction on Newton Street.

(3) Accomplishment of planning / administration / management activities.

I. Environmental Finding: The project activity is not an action which will significantly affect the quality of the human environment.

II. Basis for the above finding:

a. Identification of existing environmental conditions and trends which are likely to occur without implementation of the project.

b. Identification of the nature, magnitude and extent of all environmental impacts of the project, whether beneficial or adverse.

c. Examination of the project and consideration given to ways in which the projects could be modified in order to eliminate or minimize any adverse environmental effects and enhance environmental quality including modifications in relation to design, use, location, cost and timing of the project and its implementation.

d. Examination of alternatives to the project itself which would eliminate or minimize environmental impacts or enhance environmental quality as well as the effect of no project.

III. Environmental Review Record (ERR): An environmental review record respecting the project has been prepared and may be examined and copied along with related documentation and the project applications. The above is available at the Mayor's Office, City Hall, City of Elba, Alabama, from 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Comments concerning environmental effects of project activity listed above may be submitted to the City of Elba through July 15, 1977.

Under guidelines set forth in the Federal Register, the above finding does not require the City to undertake any further environmental review with respect to this project. Accordingly, a request for release of funds and certification for the above project will be submitted to the Department of Housing and Urban Development on July 22, 1977.

/s/ Robert Folsom, Mayor
City of Elba, Alabama
7-7-2tc

STATE OF ALABAMA)
COFFEE COUNTY)

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JAMES CLARK FOLLIS, DECEASED

PROBATE COURT

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

You will take notice that Judith Ann Follis, as Administratrix of the estate of James Clark Follis, deceased, filed her account and vouchers for a final settlement of said estate on the 28th day of June 1977, and that the 28th day of July, at 3:00 o'clock p.m. has been appointed to hear said settlement.

Done this 28th day of June, 1977.

/s/ James L. Sawyer
Judge of Probate
6-30-3tc

ESTATE OF CARL J. LEONARD
Deceased.
PROBATE COURT--
ELBA DIVISION

Letters testamentary on the estate of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 8th day of July 1977, by the Hon. James L. Sawyer Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred

s/ John L. Leonard
Executor of said estate
7/14/3tc

LEGAL NOTICE

This is to certify that I, Maxwell A. Reeves, as Tax Collector of Coffee County, Alabama, did under oath, under the provisions of Section 209, Title 51 of the Code of Alabama of 1940, report the following, according to the official records of this office, as a "List of Insolvents" to the State Department of Revenue and the Court of County Commissioners during the June term 1977. The same were approved and determined by the court as such.

Grain Services, Inc.----$23.32
Catfish, Inc.-----$3.06
Enterprise Enco Service Station-----$22.11

Given under my hand and seal this 6th day of July 1977.

s/Maxwell A. Reeves
Tax Collector
Coffee County
7/14/2tc

Dr. Rhea To Present Sacred Concert In Elba

Dr. Claude H. Rhea, Jr., Dean of the School of Music of Samford University, Birmingham, will present a concert of sacred music at The First Baptist Church of Elba on Sunday evening, July 17, beginning at 7 o'clock.

Dr. Rhea went to Samford University in September, 1969, as Dean of the School of Music.

From 1967-1969 he served as music consultant for the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board. His duties included assisting with special evangelistic campaigns and fostering the development of church music on the mission field.

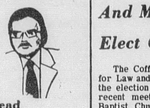
A native of Carrollton, Missouri, Dr. Rhea says his "missionary pilgrimmage" began during childhood when he learned about missions and met missionaries in his church.

Dr. Rhea is married to the former Carolyn Turage, of Florida. They met during college days while serving as Baptist Student Union summer missionaries in Hawaii.

They have three children - Claude III, Charles, and Margaret.

The public is invited to attend this sacred concert.

Mountain Moments
By K. Maynard Head



UP, UP, AND AWAY!

Evelyn Bryan Johnson became an airplane pilot in 1944 whe she sought a hobby and decided to learn to fly an airplane. And from that beginning 33 years ago she has come a long way. She possesses an airline transport certificate, the highest pilot license obtainable.

Evelyn is the only woman ever elected to the Board of Directors of the National Association of Flight Instructors. And instruct, she does! In a recent month Evelyn "soloed" 6 "female-type persons," a first time occasion for her; and one of the women is a mother of 7 children. When a woman soloed, the tradition of cutting off her shirttail was switched. She had on an expensive blouse so she cut off her husband's shirttail instead!"

Evelyn's oldest student was 73-year old "Mr. Mac;" who is thought to be the oldest person in the immediate vicinity to obtain a pilot's license. To do so, one must attend 12 weeks of ground school, and log 40 to 50 hours of flying time.

A participant in the Powder Puff Derby several times since 1951, Evelyn has flown in the event 5 times. An official in the Derby for 8 years, she was chief timer 4 years. Evelyn also flew a plane in the All-Woman's International Race in 1955 which originated in Washington D. C. and ended in Havanna, Cuba.

On the day of my visit to the Morristown Flying Service, I had to catch Evelyn between lessons in order to talk to her. While checking flight beadings, etc., of a young student, she hurriedly ate a late lunch, feeding bits of it to her female German Shepherd, Charlee, who wandered into the airport and was befriended by Evelyn.

A typical day for Evelyn begins at "sun-up" and continues over 10:00 or 11:00 p.m. Her VA and FAA approved school has over 50 students in various stages of work. Some are in ground school, while others are more advanced and are engaged in cross-country flights. Evelyn knows the progress of each of them, although she has little to do with the ground school. She employs 5 pilots, and a ground instructor so she can attend to other duties of the flight school.

It stands to reason that certain honors and awards should come to Evelyn Bryan Johnson. She was awarded the Carnegie Medal in 1960 for saving the life of a man whose helicopter crashed on the runway of the Morristown Airport. Evelyn grabbed a fire extinguisher, crawled under the spinning rotors of the 'copter, put out the fire, and pulled the man from the wreck.

In 1974 she was awarded the Flight Instructor of the Year for the Nashville, Tenn. district. The main building at the Morristown Airport is named for her.

In jest I asked Evelyn what hobby she pursued in her 'spare time'. She told me that flying was her hobby as well as her occupation, and I could not help but think that if each of us were dedicated to our professions as Evelyn Bryan Johnson we could wipe 'unemployment' out of our dictionary! ***

K. Maynard Head is director of public relations at the Clear Creek Baptist School, a theological school for adults, Pineville, Ky., 40977. Your comments are welcome. Write Mr. Head at the above address.

The Pastor's Corner

Rev. Milton Dykes, Pastor
First Assembly of God, Elba

RELEASING BITTERNESS

One of mankind's greatest problems today is mental oppression and emotional imbalances. As never before, men and women are being robbed of joy and peace because of holding bitterness within their hearts. Many of mankind's physical sicknesses can be attributed to emotional problems.

Recently I heard someone comment that they would never forgive an individual for the wrong done to them. How foolish to think that by holding bitterness within his heart he would get even. To hold bitterness only causes more serious hurt to the one already wronged.

Certainly life is filled with many hurts where we may justly feel we have been mistreated. Misunderstandings at home, losing a deserved promotion at work, failing to receive proper treatment by friends can all be sources of bitterness and hard feelings.

However, to dwell on them and to keep them bottled up simply magnifies the problem. The wise person must find a release of these feelings lest he find himself emotionally imbalanced and depressed.

If you have allowed bitterness to overpower you, let me suggest three steps to get release. First, ask God to forgive you for holding this in your heart. Admit to God your need in ridding unholy feelings and let God's Spirit do a thorough cleansing of your inner man. Believe God's Word in its promise of cleansing every sinful stain.

Second, begin to dwell on the good of life. Think on things that are uplifting, pure and of good report. Fill your mind and life with positive confessions.

Third, in a Christlike manner, always return good for evil. This was the example set by Christ Himself. By returning bad for bad, we only add to our depression.

Bethany Baptist Sets Evangelistic Services

The Bethany Baptist Church of Rt. 1, New Brockton, will hold evangelistic services on these dates:

Sunday, July 17, 11:00 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.

Monday, July 18 through Friday, July 22, at 7:30 p.m. nightly.

The Croft Evangelistic Team will be preaching and singing the gospel. The Crofts are the composers of "The First Million Years," "He Just Loves Me More & More," and many more.

A nursery will be provided.

Pastor of the church is Rev. Harry Rhodes, and he extends a welcome to all to come and enjoy spiritual renewal and fellowship in Christ.

Citizens For Law And Morality Elect Officers

The Coffee County Citizens for Law and Morality announce the election of officers at their recent meeting at the First Baptist Church in Enterprise.

"There was a large number of citizens and church representatives present at this reactivation meeting," said Rev. Albert L. Strozier, Publicity Chairman. "The response to the appeals for contributions and leadership has been most gratifying."

Officers elected at the recent meeting are:

Co-Chairmen-Frank Britt, Enterprise; and Foy M. Reeves, Elba.

Secretary-Mrs. John K. Smith, Enterprise.

Treasurer-Philip Martin, Enterprise

Chairman of Finance-J. Horace Smith, Enterprise

Chairman of Publicity-A.L. Strozier, Enterprise

Division Chairmen-Jimmy Clark, Virgil Coleman, Douglas Green, Joe Harris, Ed Lammon, Colley Pittman, Marion Sanders, Perry Stinson, Fred Wood, George Marrit, Clark Edwards

Honorary Executive Members--The pastors of all Coffee County Churches

The Steering Committee of the above officers met July 7 at the Coffee County Baptist Associational Building in New Brockton. Plans and strategy were made to combat the encroachements of both legalized liquor and the drug traffic.

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Fairview Baptist Sets Revival, Homecoming

Fairview Baptist Church will have their annual homecoming on Sunday, July 17.

Following homecoming, they will have a revival scheduled for July 18 - 22, with services at 11:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Visiting evangelist will be Rev. Arthur Emfinger, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church.

Pastor of Fairview is Rev. W. C. (Bud) Goodson, and music director is Preston Kelley, Jr.

Everyone is cordially invited to these revival services.

WMU DIRECTORS TO HAVE LEADER CONFERENCE

Coffee Baptist Association WMU directors' key leader Conference will be held Thursday night, July 21, 7 p.m. at the Associational building in New Brockton. Plans for the entire church year will be outlined at this meeting, and all directors are urged to attend.

"Go to now, ye that say, Today or tomorrow we will go into such a city, and continue there a year, and buy and sell, and get gain: Whereas ye know not what shall be on the morrow. For what is your life? It is even a vapor, that appeareth for a little time, and then vanisheth away. For that ye ought to say, If the Lord will, we shall live, and do this, or that."
JAMES 4:13-15

"IN HIM WAS LIFE, AND THE LIFE WAS THE LIGHT OF MEN"
ST. JOHN 1:4

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Sunday School ... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship ... 11:00 a.m.
Youth Choir Prac ... 4:00 p.m.
Church Training ... 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Worship ... 7:00 p.m.
Choir Prac - Wed. ... 8:00 p.m.
Church Visit - Thur. ... 7:00 p.m.

WHITEWATER BAPTIST CHURCH -- Paul Foxworth
Sunday School ... 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship ... 11:00 a.m.
Church Training ... 6:00 p.m.
Worship & Childrens' Service ... 7:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service, RAs & GAs ... 7:00 p.m.

ELBA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH -- Edward D. Henne
Sunday School ... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship ... 10:50 a.m.
Children & Youth Choir Prac. ... 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship ... 7:00 p.m.

BASIN BAPTIST CHURCH - Tommy White
Sunday School ... 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship ... 11:00 a.m.
Church Training ... 5:30 p.m.
Evening Worship ... 6:30 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet ... 7:00 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF GOD
Charles Jolley
Sunday School ... 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship ... 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening - Young People's Endeavor ... 6:00 p.m.
Evangelistic Serv. ... 6:30 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Serv. ... 7:00 p.m.

ELBA FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Milton E. Dykes
Sunday School ... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship ... 11:00 a.m.
Youth Choir Prac ... 4:00 p.m.
Junior Worship ... 11:00 a.m.
Youth Service ... 5:00 p.m.
Evening Evangelist Service - 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Ser ... 7:00 p.m.
Pastor's Phone Call - Monday thru Fri. --WELB ... 9:25 a.m.

ELBA DELIVERANCE TABERNACLE -- Jimmy and Shirely Hatcher
Sunday School ... 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship ... 11:00 a.m.
Evangelist Serv ... 7:00 p.m.
Thurs. Night Serv. ... 7:00 p.m.
WELB Radio Daily ... 12:30 p.m.

ZOAR COMMUNITY CHURCH
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Sunday Morn. Serv. ... 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Even. Serv. ... 7:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Ser ... 7:30 p.m.

MT. VERNON CONGREGATIONAL METHODIST
Curtis Hames
Sunday School ... 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship ... 11:00 a.m.
CMYS ... 6:00 p.m.
Evangelist Service ... 7:00 p.m.
Prayer Meet. Thur ... 7:00 p.m.

WISE MILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD - D.D. Bryant
Sunday School ... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship ... 11:00 a.m.
Choir Practice ... 4:30 p.m.
Young Peoples Serv. ... 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship ... 6:30 p.m.
Prayer Meet. Wed. ... 7:00 p.m.
Home Prayer Serv. - Friday 7:00 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF CHRIST
Joseph B. Nall
Bible Study ... 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship ... 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday - Ladies Bible Class 2:00 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study ... 7:00 p.m.

WOODLAND GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH -- Kenneth English
Sunday School ... 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship ... 11:00 a.m
Evening Worship --- 5:00 p.m.
Training Union --- 6:00 p.m.
Adult Choir Prac --- 6:30 Wed.
Youth Choir Prac --- 6:30 Wed
Wed. Night Prayer Meet--7:00

NEW EBENEZER BAPTIST CHURCH --Billy Henderson
Sunday School ... 10:00 a.m
Morning Worship ... 11:00 a.m
Youth Choir Prac ... 4:00 p.m.
Training Union ... 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.
"Outreach" Wed ... 6:00 p.m.
Prayer Meet. Wed. ... 7:00 p.m.
Adult Choir Practice - Wed. 8:00 p.m.

DAMASCUS BAPTIST CHURCH
Buddy Nowell ---Pastor
Sunday School ... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship ... 11:00 a.m.
Training Union ... 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship ... 7:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Serv. ... 7:00 p.m.
Community Wide Visitation - Thursday nights

RAs & GAs Wed. ... 7:00 p.m.

ELBA ZION BAPTIST CHURCH
J.L. Grayer
Sunday School ... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship ... 11:00 a.m
Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m
(1st & 3rd Sundays)
Wed. Night Mis. ... 6:00 p.m
Choir Rehearsal Each Thursday before 1st and 3rd Sundays.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF ELBA -- Robert K. Davis, Jr
Sunday School ... 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service ... 11:00 a.m.
Church Training ... 6:00 p.m
Evening Worship ... 7:00 p.m
Wed. Family Supper ... 6:00 p.m
Wed. Prayer Meet ... 6:30 p.m

WESTSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH
James T. Brock
Sunday School ... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship ... 11:00 a.m.
Youth Choir Pract ... 4:45 p.m.
Church Training ... 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship ... 7:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet ... 7:00 p.m.
Adult Choir Prac ... 8:00 p.m.
Nursery Open For Church Activities

VICTORIA BAPTIST CHURCH
Clint Gutherie
Sunday School ... 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship ... 11:00 a.m.
Choir Practice ... 5:00 p.m.
Training Union ... 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship ... 7:00 p.m.

MT. GILEAD BAPTIST CHURCH
Charles Sunday
Sunday School ... 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship ... 11:00 a.m.
Church Training ... 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet ... 7:00 p.m.

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FARM TALK

By Tom Casaday, County Extension Chairman

HOG PRICE OUTLOOK

Dan Linton, livestock marketing specialist at Auburn, had this to say about the hog price outlook: "It appears that the prices of hogs are going to decline somewhat as we go into the fall. Fall and winter prices should be 35-36¢ per pound. We will be short of corn here, but this does not include the nation as a whole. We should have a bumper grain crop including corn and wheat. This would be an indication there will be a lot of livestock feeding. The cost of feeding is going to be about the same.

A few months ago, we thought 1978 would be a good year for hogs. However, this outlook has changed somewhat. In fact, the economists did not expect 1977 to be as good a hog year as it has been. This was due to the large number of pigs killed due to the cold winter."

CORN BORER

During recent days I have noticed some medium to heavy infestations of the lesser corn stalk borer. These borers affect both soybeans and peanuts. One field of soybeans I saw had at least a 20% reduction in stands. The lesser corn stalk borer is always worse in dry weather.

For both soybeans and peanuts, we recommend parathion granules. This material is more effective than anything else that has been used. It is applied in a band over the row. Rainfall is needed to make them effective. In fact, they won't be effective at all until it does rain.

You could have a small percent of stand loss due to the lesser corn stalk borer without beginning treatment. However, if treatment is necessary, apply the granules at the rate of 20 pounds per acre. A special attachment is needed in order to get the granules right over the row in a 10 to 15-inch band.

CATTLE OUTLOOK

Dr. Bob McGuire, head of the animal science department at Auburn University, had this to say about the beef cattle outlook: "Because of the decrease in numbers of cattle, we would expect to see a gradual improvement in prices during 1977. 1978 through 1982 appear to be profitable years for the beef industry. The atmosphere in the beef industry is not good at all. We had the severe winter and the drought. There should be a gradual improvement in the price of cattle over the next five years. We are in the price improvement phase of the cattle industry. In other words, as price improves the number of breeding animals declines.

"We are having increased sales of cattle during drought years which are depressing prices somewhat. We are likely to see this trent change after we get out of this depressed drought we are in. Producers are urged not to give up because of the reduction in numbers. The people who stay and do a good job of management should get a good profit out of their cattle.

CORN WORMS

We have a number of worms damaging corn in the tasseling, silking and roasting ear stage. These worms are extremely difficult to control. They imbed themselves in the ears of corn.

We do not recommend trying to control them because of the difficulties mentioned above. Any increase in yield due to control at this late stage would cost as much as the benefit. However, the main problem is being able to control them when they get in the ears. Incidentally, I have noticed more corn worm damage this year than I have in several years.

For small gardens Sevin and other good worm killers are very effective. You would need to pat this on about every three or four days from the time you first notice the damage when the corn is small.

SOYBEAN OUTLOOK

We have had a substantial increase in soybean acreage this year. Many of the acres have been contracted. This means the producer knows exactly what he will get for each bushel. However, many others have planted for the first time, and they will depend on the market price.

Allen Brown, marketing specialist, had this to say about soybean prices "We can expect soybean prices to continue strong throughout the rest of 1977 and into 1978. The futures market bears this out. Soybean prices are likely to remain near $7 through the 1977 harvest and into 1978. The outlook for the Alabama crop and most of the rest of the southeast is not good because of extremely dry weather lending itself to late planting and erratic stands. However, throughout the midwest where most of the nation's beans are planted, crops are off to a good start. Thus, the market for the nation as a whole is expected to be near or slightly above the 1976 crop. But carry over supplies of soybeans are low, and prices are expected to remain strong.

The Elba Theatre offers a big double feature--"Alaska Seas" starring Robert Bryan and Jan Sterling, and "Passage West" starring John Payne.

John Henry Davis, 85, died last Wednesday night at his home in the Ino Community. "Slow Jim" died as he lived, though he had amassed considerable wealth, he preferred the even tempo of life than 70 years ago.

30 YEARS AGO
July 10, 1947

Bringing to Elba, one of the famous home-owned and operated Western Auto Associate Stores, Mr. Foy English, owner, has set the opening date of his new store for Saturday, July 12.

Carlos Parrish, 18-year old son of Mr. Charlie Parrish, of the Reeves School Community was proudly displaying a 20-pound bobcat he killed on his father's place last Thursday.

FRYERS FOR SALE--New Hammshire Reds, 2 pounds and up, $1 each. Mrs. G. M. Prescott, Phone 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Merl Yeager, Jr., and son Harry, of Mobile, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Spurlin on Saturday night.

Grand opening specials at the Western Auto include: Wizard Batteries--$10.95; Davis Deluxe Tires--$12.95; and Trietone Radio Phonograph--$127.50.

Freddie Rainer and Olin Kearce left Tuesday for Bomburg, S. C., where they will visit relatives.

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WALLPAPER CLINIC

Would you like to know about wallpaper? If so, wallpaper clinic has been scheduled for Thursday, July 14. Sandra Hahs and Bob Hill, representatives of the American Wallpaper Company in Chattanooga, Tn., and Actho Brackin of the Enterprise Wholesale Company will be conducting these meetings.

Two meetings will be held--one is at 9:30 a.m. and the other is at 7:30 p.m. Both will be held in the Community Room at the Farm Center at New Brockton. Attend the one most convenient for you.

Remember the date, Thursday, July 14, at either 9:30 a.m. or 7:30 p.m.

SMOKE DETECTORS

The $40 to $60 a family pays for a smoke detector is money well spent. In fact smoke detectors are required by law in all mobile home manufactured since June 1976 and in new houses financed by the Veterans Administration, Federal Housing Authority and Farmers Home Administration. Some insurance companies are even offering premium credit for installed smoke detectors and fire alarms.

Two types of smoke detectors are used in homes--ionization and photoelectric smoke detectors. Smoke entering either type of detectors sets off an ear-piercing alarm designed to alert even the soundest sleepers. When shopping for either kind of smoke detectors, look first for the label of Underwriters Laboratories or Factory Mutual System.

Choosing between the types of detectors may be difficult. Ionization smoke detectors respond best to a flaming fire and will operate on either house electricity or battery power which works if a fire damages the home's electrical wiring. Photoelectric detectors are more sensitive to smoke from smoldering fires--the fires that cause more deaths--but photoelectric detectors must be connected to electrical outlets.

Ideally one of both types of smoke detectors would be best, but either kind will give some fire protection if located properly. Put a smoke detector on the ceiling or high on the wall in the hallway outside the bedrooms, is advised. Many of the deaths cause by fires happen during the night when smoke and gases over comes unsuspecting sleepers.

ENERGY TIPS

Little details like cooking in flat bottom pans and matching pan size to surface unit size are good ways to save energy. And tight fitting lids covering pans make foods begin boiling or steaming quicker, saving you time as well as energy.

Another detail to remember is resisting the temptation to frequently check on that special new recipe you're baking in the oven. Each time you open the door, the oven temperature drops 25 to 30 degrees. Using a timer instead of peeking in the oven or selecting an oven with a window in the door. And preheat the oven only when necessary--many don't need a preheated oven.

TARTAR SAUCE

If you are out of tartar sauce and fish is on your menu tonight, don't panic. Here is a quick, simple tartar sauce that you can make. To one cup of dairy sour cream or yogurt add 2 tablespoons each of chili sauce, chopped onions, chopped dill pickle and chopped parsely. Also add 1 tablespoon lemon juice, 1/2 teaspoon dry mustard and salt and pepper to taste.

FARM FLIX

10 YEARS AGO
July 13, 1967

Eddie Bryan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edison Bryan of Elba, has been awarded the American Legion Auxilary scholarship to Troy State University.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Crook and son Boots have recently returned from Aberdeen, Mississippi, where they visited their daughter and family, the Bobby Bullards.

Wendell Hart has resigned as head-coach of the Elba High Tigers. He will take over the head coaching duties at Evergreen on August 1.

Also resigning was assistant coach Ray Flowers.

20 YEARS AGO
July 11, 1957

Police Chief Bow Dunaway is on a week's vacation, and Bow and his family plan to motor to Bristol, Fl., where "Big Bow" was reared.

Military News

WILLIAM TYSON

Army Private William Tyson, whose wife, Pattiy, lives in Elba, Al., recently was assigned as a transportation specialist with the Eighth Ordnance Company at Ft. Bragg, N. C.

The private entered the Army in March 1975.

He is a 1975 graduate of Elba High School, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Tyson, Rt. 2, Elba.

DAN M. WILKERSON

Navy Operations Specialist First Class Dan M. Wilkerson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Wilkerson of Rt. 1, Kinston recently visited Mombasa, Kenya.

He is serving as a crewmember aboard the destroyer USS Morton, homeported in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. His ship is currently operating as unit of the U. S. Seventh Fleet.

During the three-day port visit, he and his shipmates toured Mombasa and hosted members of the local community during shipboard open house events. For the remainder of the cruise, the Morton is scheduled to participate in training operations and exercises with other Seventh Fleet units and ships from allied nations. Additionally, the crew will have the opportunity to visit several ports in the Far East.

His ship is 418 feet long, displaces 4050 tons fully loaded and carries a crew of 304 officers and enlisted men. She is primarily equipped for anti-submarine operations and is outfitted with guns, torpedo tubes and an antisubmarine rocket launchers.

He joined the Navy in November 1956.

CARL P. HENSON

U. S. Air Force Airman First Class Carl P. Henson, III, son of Mrs. Dorothy F. Henson of Elba, has arrived for duty at Gunter Air Force Station, Al.

Airman Henson, an administrative specialist, previously served at Maxwell AFB, Al.

The airman is a 1975 graduate of Elba High School.

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Sports

Views From The Pressbox

by, Ricky Mularz Sports Editor

I guess the fish weren't biting last week because we didn't make any pictures and neither did Doris at the Elba Bait Shop. The only picture we have is one L. G. Weeks brought in of a mess of fish he and his son, Scotty, caught in Florida.

Maybe this week somebody will catch some fish so we can show 'em to our readers!

MORE COACHING MOVES

Bob Booth, an assistant football coach at Troy State for the past 5 years, has accepted the head coaching position at Goshen. Booth coached at Goshen in 1966 and 1967, leading the Eagles to a State title in '66.

Rex Bynum, a former prep athlete at Geneva, will be an assistant coach at Geneva next year. Bynum, who played pro baseball for a couple of years, was a star quarterback for the Panthers in his playing days.

Willie Tyson, as most of you already know, will be an assistant coach at Elba next year. Willie was a standout at Elba in 1973, and was a 4-year starter at Alabama State University.

John Frank Hudson, former head coach at Zion Chapel, will become a full-time assistant coach at Elba next year. Hudson served as a coach on a limited scale last year, but in the coming season, he will be back on the sidelines where he belongs!

ALL-STAR TEAMS SWING INTO ACTION

The Babe Ruth and Dixie Youth All-Star teams both swing into action this week, and both teams have a good shot at winning quite a few games.

The Babe Ruth squad is strong on hitting, but lacks the depth needed at pitcher. If the Babe Ruth team is to win their district, they must get solid pitching from their starters, because the relief pitching is questionable.

If Elba beats Geneva tonight, they will advance into semi-finals, and will be only 2 games away from the title.

They could do it, so why not make plans to go and watch the team play. I guarantee you they'll appreciate it!

The Dixie Youth team plays Friday night in Brundidge, and the younger boys also have a strong hitting team, but are a little weak in pitching.

The Dixie Youth squad has the potential to score runs by the dozen, and if they can get good pitching, they could win the tourney in Brundidge and advance to Wicksburg.

Everyone who has kids who play, and even those who don't, should make plans to attend the tourney in Brundidge and support the boys.

SOFTBALL TOURNIES IN AREA

Softball fans who like to watch tournaments will have to go out of town this weekend.

There is a men's tourney in Opp, and at least three (3) Elba teams are entered. The entries are Dorsey, Cook, and Wise's. All three teams have the potential to win the tourney, and I hope one of them does.

There is a women's tourney in Greenville, and Elba's Auto Sav team is planning to go. The Auto Sav girls boast a 13-3 record, and could surprise some of the area teams by bringing home a trophy.

Good luck, gals!

IN CLOSING

He may not be a Super Slowpitch star, but Enterprise's Jerry Owens is certainly the top player in the local area.

Owens has hit 29 home runs in league play in Enterprise, and when you add homers he hit in tournaments, the total is over 50.

Jerry plays on Superior Roofing, and he is a top notch player.

Till then . . . .

Mike Griffin To Host Golf Clinic At L.B.W.

Mike Griffin, coach of Troy State University's 1976 and 1977 NCAA Division II national championship golf teams, will direct a golf clinic at Lurleen B. Wallace Jr. College Aug. 8 - 12.

The clinic is open to youngsters 18 years and under. Morning instructional sessions will be divided according to age groups. Griffin will teach the fundamentals of golf and playing strategy.

Interested persons should contact Lurleen B. Wallace Jr. College athletic director Jim Garner.

A native of Thomasville and a graduate of TSU, Griffin brought the university's golf program from obscurity to national prominence in four years. Under his direction, TSU won the 1976 NCAA tournament by 31 strokes and the 1977 event by 11 strokes.

He joined the TSU staff in 1973 after resigning from professional golf.

Dorsey Outscores Bankers 19-14

In Men's Softball Action

The Men's Softball League swung back into action Monday night with Dorsey, Wise's and the New Brockton Merchants claiming wins.

The Peoples Bank leads the league with a 5-1 record, followed by Dorsey (4-2), Wise's (3-3), Cooks (3-3), New Brockton (2-4) and Nasco (1-5).

Dorsey 19 - Peoples Bank 14

Dorsey Trailers battled back from a 9-2 deficit after two innings to claim a 19-14 upset win over The Peoples Bank in Monday's opener.

The Bankers entered the game undefeated, and combined 9 hits and 5 Dorsey errors to jump into a 9-2 lead after two innings of play. However, Dorsey cut the lead to 9-6 in the third inning and then plated 8 runs in a fourth inning outburst to go ahead 14-9. The Bankers took advantage of four Dorsey errors to tie the score at 14-14 in the bottom of the fourth, but Dorsey's bats kept booming and the Trailermen rolled to the win.

Dorsey was led by Steve Vaughan and Earl Rachel with 3 hits each, while Terry Henderson, Mike Farris, Max Farris, Jimmie Bedsole and Larry Smart all collected 2 hits.

The Bankers were paced by Dennis Jacobs with 4 hits, while Dudley Stinson added 3 hits. Collecting 2 hits were David Smith, Tommy Skinner and Kenneth Pope.

D	204	830	2	-	19	19	11
PB	540	500	0	-	14	15	6

Wise's 9 - Nasco 2

Wise's took a 4-0 lead midway through the game and breezed to an easy 9 - 2 win over Nasco.

Wise's was led by Don Mack with 3 hits, while teammate Nip Ammons added 2 hits.

Dwight Nunn went 3 for 3 to lead Nasco, while Travis Nunn added 2 hits.

N	000	010	1	-	2	9	3
W	020	223	x	-	9	9	2

New Brockton 15 - Cook Chevrolet 10

New Brockton pounded out 17 hits, including 4 home runs, to dump Cook Chevrolet 15-10 in Monday's nightcap.

The Merchants scored 8 runs in the opening inning to take an 8 - 3 lead, and never trailed in claiming the win.

Robert Donaldson had 3 hits (1 home run) to pace the Merchants, while Dumpy DeVaughan, Lanny Griffin, Lamar Kelley and Joe Simmons had 2 hits each. Kelley hit 2 home runs and Griffin added 1 round-tripper.

Cook's was led by Albert Tyson and Frankie Christian with 3 hits apiece, while Marvin Smith and Roy Grimes both collected 2 hits.

Cook	320	032	0	-	10	13	6
N. B.	811	113	x	-	15	17	5

MEN'S SOFTBALL STANDINGS

THRU JULY 11

	W	L	Gb
Peoples Bank	5	1	--
Dorsey Trailers	4	2	1
Cook Chevrolet	3	3	2
Wise's	3	3	2
New Brockton	2	4	3
Nasco	1	5	4

SCHEDULE

FRIDAY'S GAMES
Dorsey vs. Wise's
Cook vs. Peoples Bank
Nasco vs. New Brockton

MONDAY'S GAMES
Peoples Bank vs. Nasco
Wise's vs. New Brockton
Dorsey vs. Cook

MEN'S SOFTBALL STATISTICS

LEADING HITTERS	H	AB	Pct.
1. Dudley Stinson (PB)	16	22	.727
2. Frankie Christian (C)	12	18	.667
3. Dumpy DeVaughan (NB)	9	14	.643
4. Tommy Skinner (PB)	13	21	.619
5. Larry Smart (D)	10	17	.588
6. Steve Johnson (W)	6	11	.545
7. Phil English (N)	7	13	.538
8. Wayne Satley (W)	9	17	.529
9. Dwight Nunn (N)	7	14	.500
Don Mack (W)	8	16	.500
Max Farris (D)	9	18	.500
12. David Smith (PB)	12	25	.480
13. Albert Tyson (C)	8	17	.471
14. Glen Thompson (D)	11	24	.458
15. Ken Reeves (N)	5	11	.455

HOME RUNS—
1. Mike Farris (D) 4
Danny Sanders (C) 4
3. Albert Tyson (C) 3
David Smith (PB) 3
Lamar Kelley (NB) . . . 3
Lanny Griffin (NB) . . . 3
7. Earl Rachel (D) 2
Larry Sanders (W) . . . 2
Dudley Stinson (PB) . . . 2
10. All tied with 1 . . . . Spann (D), W. Satley (W), King (C), King (N), Thompson (D), English (N), Adkisson (NB), Hodge (D), Bimbo (W), and Donaldson (NB).

RUNS BATTED IN
1. Dudley Stinson (PB). . . 21
2. David Smith (PB). . . . 12
Mike Farris (D) 12
4. Earl Rachel (D). . . . 10
5. Lanny Griffin (NB) . . . 9

KEN MARTIN (center) checks scorecard after posting a 74 in Sunday's round to win the Harold Deal Memorial Golf tournament held last weekend at the Elba Country Club.

Ken Martin Wins Harold Deal Golf Tourney

The 12th annual Harold Deal Invitational Golf Tournament was held last weekend at the Elba Country Club, and Elba's Ken Martin birdied the final two holes to claim the cherished title.

Martin, a 17-year-old, became the first Elba golfer to win the 36-hole affair. Ken fired rounds of 71-74 for a total of 145, good enough for a two-stroke victory over his older brother, Johnny Martin, who placed second with rounds of 71-76 for a 147 total.

A total of 57 golfers took part in this year's tourney, and all participants played 36 holes. A qualifying round was held on Saturday, and the golfers were then divided into six flights.

Going into Sunday's 18-hole final round, the lead was held by Jack Archer of Troy, with a two-under par 70. At second, only one stroke back, were Ken Martin and Johnny Martin.

The hilly Elba Country Club proved a true challenge to the golfers on Sunday, and after nine holes, Archer had fallen to one-over par and into a tie with Johnny Martin. Ken Martin was two shots back at three-over par after firing a 40.

Coming into Sunday's 16th hole, Archer's lead had gone to one-stroke over both Ken and Johnny Martin, and after a birdie on the 16th, Archie owned a 2-stroke lead with only two holes to play.

All three golfers missed the green on the par 3, 17th hole, but Ken chipped in from 65 feet out for a birdie that dropped him to two-over par. Johnny was on the fringe of the green, and calmly rolled in the 45-foot putt to join his brother at two-over par. Archer, apparently shaken by the two birdies, took three shots to get in from 30 feet out, and the bogey dropped him to two-over par, and into a 3-way tie with only one hole to play.

Ken drove down the middle of the fairway on the par 5, 18th hole, but Archer and Johnny both drove into the rough on the right side of the fairway. Johnny and Archer both had to pitch the ball back into the fairway on their second shot, while Ken Martin blasted his second shot on the green. Ken two-putted for a birdie, while Johnny made a bogey and Archer finished with a double-bogey.

Mrs. Dixie Deal presented the Harold Deal Memorial trophy to Ken, following the tourney, while the top four finishers in each flight were awarded prizes.

First place winners received a set of Wilson woods, 2nd place received a graphite driver, 3rd place - wood covers, a Sunday bag, and a carry-all bag, and - 4th place-ball retrievers.

Following is a list of the winners in each flight:

CHAMPIONSHIP FLIGHT
1. Ken Martin 145
2. Johnny Martin 147
3. Jack Archer 148
4. Jim Hatten 157

1st FLIGHT
1. James Helms 158
2. Art Stivers 159
3. Rickey Morgan . . . 165
4. Jack Harrell 168

2nd FLIGHT
1. William Spear 163
2. Bud Alderman 170
3. Benny Krutchum . . . 172
4. Terry Neustaedeter . . 174

3rd FLIGHT
1. Ronnie Nicholson . . . 165
2. Dan Jackson 171
3. Ted Hudson 172
4. Ed Comer 173

4th FLIGHT
1. Larry Jacobs. 174
2. Bobby Campbell 177
3. Mickey Hudson 179
4. Farrel Bruce 179

5th FLIGHT
1. Johnny Sharpless . . . 182
2. Keith Baker 192
3. Tommy Thomason . . . 193
4. Tony Hudson 193

Auto Sav Moves Into 1st Place

Auto Sav swept a double-header from National Security Tuesday night to up their record to 15-3, and moved into first place in the Elba Women's Softball League.

Auto Sav won the opener 16-10, then rolled to an easy 18-0 win in the nightcap.

The two wins moved Auto Sav one-half game ahead of New Brockton, who did not play Tuesday night.

Auto Sav is entered in the Greenville Women's Softball Classic this weekend, and will play on Friday and Saturday.

WOMEN'S SOFTBALL STANDINGS

THRU JULY 12

	W	L	Gb
Auto Sav	15	3	--
New Brockton	14	3	1/2
Victoria Blues	14	5	1-1/2
Misfits	11	7	4
Jewel Box	10	9	5-1/2
Black Sheep	9	10	6-1/2
Victoria Reds	7	12	8-1/2
National Security	2	16	13
Dorsey Darlings	1	18	14-1/2

FISHING SPOTLIGHT

L. G. and Scotty Weeks show off a nice stringer of fish they caught at Lake Panasoffkee, Florida.

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Babe Ruth All-Stars Play Tonight In Andalusia

The Elba Babe Ruth All-Stars swing into action tonight (Thursday) when they oppose the Geneva All-Stars at 6:00 p.m. in the District tournament in Andalusia.

The All-Stars, managed by Hugh Martin and coached by Mike Cappe and Richard Brown, boast a hard-hitting team that includes 9 players who batted over .400 during regular season play. The only visible weakness on the squad is the lack of depth in pitchers.

The two leading pitchers on the team are Frank Thomas and Wayne Parker, both of whom pitched for the pennant-winning White Sox.

Thomas, only a 14-year-old, is the most dependable pitcher on the staff, and compiled a 5-1 record during the season. Thomas struck out 60 batters in 31 innings and posted a 2.16 earned run average. Frank is also a solid hitter, boasting a .438 batting average with 2 homers.

Wayne Parker became the first unbeaten pitcher in the history of the league by compiling a record of 7 wins and 0 losses. Parker is primarily an off-speed pitcher and relies on curve balls 80-90% of the time. Parker batted .310 during the season.

Other players who will have to share mound duties during the tourney are Troy Brown, Alan King and Dennis Smith.

The remaining players on the roster include:

***Troy Brown - a solid hitter with a .471 batting average. A good infielder;

***Alan King - an excellent short-stop with exceptional range. Also a good hitter, boasting a .431 batting average;

***Dennis Smith - a good pitcher - outfielder who batted .370;

***Bobby Hall - a solid defensive player behind the plate and in the outfield. Batted .474 during the season.

***Kelvin Belcher - the league's top hitter, boasting a .536 average and 3 home runs. Belcher is the team's top baserunner;

***Mark Davis - a 6-2, 220-pound slugger with a .429 average and two home runs. Davis is a good defensive first-baseman, and is capable of hitting a long ball at any time;

***Danny Bazley - the top outfielder in the league, also a good hitter boasting a .357 average;

***John Sexton - a utility-infielder with a .415 batting average;

***Derek Boatwell - a good fielding second-baseman and a dependable hitter. Boasts a .455 batting average;

***Rickey Harrelson - a utility player, can play all nine positions. Hit .313 during the season;

***David Setley - the league's top catcher with a solid .400 batting average;

***Greg Hudson - an excellent Outfielder with a .250 batting average; and

***Mason Morrow - a smart player, capable of playing anywhere. Owns a .297 average.

The coaches feel the All-Star team will be strong defensively and will hit the ball well. However, the lack of proven pitchers may be the key to the squad's success.

Dixie Youth All-Stars Begin Play Friday

The Elba Dixie Youth All-Stars will begin sub-district competition Friday night at 6:30 in Brundidge when they play the winner of the Brundidge-Troy game.

All-star coach Tim Pope feels he has a good team, and is optimistic about his squad's chances in the tourney.

Teams in the tourney are Elba, Troy Nationals, Troy Americans, Greenville, Brundidge Nationals and Brundidge Americans.

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Consolidated Report of Condition of "The Peoples Bank"

of Elba in the State of Alabama and Domestic Subsidiaries at the close of business on June 30, 1977

BALANCE SHEET — ASSETS	Sch.	Item	Col.		Mil.	Thou.	
1. Cash and due from banks	C	7				756	1
2. U.S. Treasury securities	B	1	E			583	2
3. Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	B	2	E			920	3
4. Obligations of states and political subdivisions	B	3	E		1	950	4
5. Other bonds, notes, and debentures	B	4	E		NONE		5
6. Corporate stock					NONE		6
7. Trading account securities					NONE		7
8. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	D	4			NONE		8
9. a. Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	A	10		4 925			9a
b. Less: Reserve for possible loan losses				69			b
c. Loans, Net					4	856	c
10. Direct lease financing					NONE		10
11. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises						135	11
12. Real estate owned other than bank premises					NONE		12
13. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies					NONE		13
14. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding					NONE		14
15. Other assets	G	7				66	15
16. TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 thru 15)					9	266	16
LIABILITIES	Sch.	Item	Col.				
17. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	F	1f	A		1	895	17
18. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	F	1f	B+C		5	238	18
19. Deposits of United States Government	F	2	A+B+C			67	19
20. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	F	3	A+B+C			966	20
21. Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions	F	4	A+B+C		NONE		21
22. Deposits of commercial banks	F	5+6	A+B+C		NONE		22
23. Certified and officers' checks	F	7	A			28	23
24. TOTAL DEPOSITS (sum of items 17 thru 23)					8	194	24
a. Total demand deposits	F	8	A	2 227			a
b. Total time and savings deposits	F	8	B+C	5 965			b
25. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	E	4				50	25
26. Other liabilities for borrowed money					NONE		26
27. Mortgage indebtedness					NONE		27
28. Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding					NONE		28
29. Other liabilities	H	9				4	29
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)					8	248	30
31. Subordinated notes and debentures					NONE		31

EQUITY CAPITAL

32. Preferred stock	a. No. shares outstanding	NONE	(Par value)	NONE	32
33. Common stock	a. No. shares authorized	22,000			
	b. No. shares outstanding	21,422	(Par value)	268	33
34. Surplus				255	34
35. Undivided profits				495	35
36. Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves				NONE	36
37. TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 32 thru 36)				1 018	37
38. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 30, 31, and 37)				9 266	38

MEMORANDA

1. Average for 30 calendar days ending with call date:			
a. Cash and due from banks (corresponds to item 1 above)		732	1a
b. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell (corresponds to item 8 above)		96	b
c. Total loans (corresponds to item 9a above)		4 908	c
d. Time deposits of $100,000 or more (corresponds to Memoranda items 3a plus 3b below)		106	d
e. Total deposits (corresponds to item 24 above)		8 288	e
f. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase (corresponds to item 25 above)		1	f
g. Other liabilities for borrowed money (corresponds to item 26 above)		NONE	g
2. Standby letters of credit outstanding (as of call date)		NONE	2
3. Time deposits of $100,000 or more (as of call date):			
a. Time certificates of deposit in denominations of $100,000 or more		106	3a
b. Other time deposits in amounts of $100,000 or more		700	b

I, Gerald Tucker, Cashier, of the above-named bank do solemnly swear (or affirm) that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: Gerald Tucker, M. Kennedy, Directors.

State of Alabama County of Coffee ss:

(MAKE MARK FOR NOTARY'S SEAL) Sworn to and subscribed before me this 12th day of July, 1977, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank. My commission expires 2-11-79, 19.. Notary Public.

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The F. G. Maddox Family Holds Annual Reunion

In the mid 1850's Matthew M. and Martha Bowden Maddox migrated to Coffee County from Randolph County, Ga.. Matthew was the son of Samuel Maddox of Monroe County, Ga. and his wife, Patsy. Matthew was the grandson of Samuel Maddox, a Revolutionary soldier who died in Hancock County Ga., in 1820.

On Sunday, July 3, 1977, about 130 of the descendants of Matthew Maddox's youngest son F. G. Bartow Maddox held their annual family reunion at Woodland Grove Baptist Church where Bartow was a member and is buried. Bartow owned, farmed, and raised his family of seventeen children on what is now the Girl Scout Reservation on Rt. 1, Elba. Eight of these children still survive Mr. Maddox. They are Mrs. Cora Reeves, Mrs. J. S. (Ovie) Daniels of Elba; W. C. (Bud) Maddox of Atlanta, Ga.; Bailey R. Maddox and Luther O. Maddox of Pheaix City, Al.; C. C. (Tump) Maddox of Andalusia; G. W. (Wash) Maddox of Red Level; and the youngest, Jesse Cephus Maddox of Florala, Al. (Cephus is the father of Mr. Tom Maddox former band director of Elba.

During the welcome and prayer time at the noon meal, there was a pause for a silent prayer for Francis E. Maddox, a grandson who was killed Dec. 1, 1976, during a robbery attempt on the service station he operated in Atlanta, Ga.

At the annual business meeting presided over by Mr. John H. Maddox of Montgomery (grandson), Mrs. Kate Maddox Hale (granddaughter) was appointed to be the historian of the Maddox clan. Mrs. Hale has already done a lot of tracing of the Maddox lineage which may soon be compiled into a book.

It was also noted at the business meeting that all the children of Bartow's oldest son James Waitus Maddox (deceased) were present on this day along with their mother Mrs. Susie Byrd Maddox of Enterprise. Ms. Susie is a retired school teacher of Coffee County.

Also noted as being present were the youngest great grandson and great granddaughter of Bartow Maddox. Everyone present enjoyed lots of good food and fellowship.

O.E.S. Plans Special Meeting

The Order of the Eastern Star will have a special meeting On Thursday, July 14, 1977, in the home of Mrs. George Hocutt. At the meeting, an important decision will be made concerning the Elba Chapter. This will be a covered dish supper at 7:00 p.m. and all local members are urged to attend.

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Mr. and Mrs. Grimes To Honor 50th Anniversary

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Moses Lee Grimes cordially invite all their friends to a reception in honor of their parents' fiftieth wedding anniversary on Sunday, July 17, 1977, from 2 until 4 p.m. at their parents' home--Rt. 2, Elba.

BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Smith of Phenix City, Al., announce the birth of a 7 lb., 10 oz. daughter, Jennifer Leigh, arriving on June 21 at St. Frances Hospital in Columbus, Ga.

Jennifer's grandparents are Mrs. Virginia Wi:ham and the late David Wilson Windham of Rt. 3, Elba, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith of Opp.

Glenn and Janice have one other daughter, Shannon Amy, who is 2 1/2 years old.

Women's Page

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Smith Celebrate Golden Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Smith of Elba celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary Sunday, July 3, 1977.

A number of friends and relatives helped the couple celebrate this joyous occasion.

Master Kyle Padgett Honored with Birthday Party

Kyle Padgett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Padgett, celebrated his second birthday Saturday, June 18, 1977, with a party at his home. Kyle is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Jones, Enterprise, and Mrs. O. A. Padgett and the late O. A. Padgett of Elba.

A clown theme was carried out in the party decorations. The party table featured a clown centerpiece and a clown face birthday cake. Kyle also had a large birthday candle bearing a clown holding numbered balloons to represent his second birthday.

After the refreshments were served, Kyle was assisted by several of his friends in opening his gifts.

Relatives and friends attending the party included Mrs. O. A. Padgett, Mrs. Fred Young and Gina; Mrs. Larry Grantham and Keith; Mrs. Kenneth Baker and Amy; Mrs. Ronny Nicholson and Kimbo; Mrs. Kenneth Strong, Emily and Elena; Mrs. Harry Jacobs, Joe, and John; Mrs. Bill Logan and Molly; Mrs. Jimmy Macon, Darron and Lisa; Mrs. Mike Russell and Joe; and Mrs. Helen McCollough. Out of town guests included Mrs. Johnnie Jones and Jeff Jones of Enterprise.

One pound of honey contains the essence of two million flowers.

Crews-Davis Reunion To Be Held July 17

The Frances Marion and Elizabeth Crews Davis family reunion will be held Sunday, July 17, in Samson, Alabama, at the community center.

Each family is asked to bring a well-filled basket of food and some beverage to drink. Ice, cups, etc. will be furnished.

Every member of both Crews and Davis families are urged to attend and bring their friends.

Lunch will be served at 1:00 so that those who wish to may attend church.

Rev. Robert Davis will speak after lunch, and the Grover Davis Quarter will provide the music.

Country Club Stockholding Members To Meet

The stockholding members of the Elba Country Club will meet on Monday evening, August 14, 1977, at 7:00 at the Elba Country Club. The purpose of this annual meeting is to elect two new board members and to consider a dues increase. All stockholding members are urged to attend.

Couple To Observe 40th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. John M. White will observe their fortieth wedding anniversary on Sunday, July 17.

Friends and relatives of the couple are asked to call at their home between the hours of 2-5 p.m.

Personals

Miss Michele Cox enjoyed spending several days with her grandmohter, Mrs. H. O. Johnson in Florala.

It's nice to have a sweet and dear lady back home in Elba-Mrs. Price Ringo- who has been staying with her sister in Dothan after a lengthy illness.

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Mrs. Idell Whitman, Mrs. Bill Oggs and Miss Valerie Oggs left Monday going to Jordan to visit Mrs. Ogg's husband, Mr. Bill Oggs.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Floyd, Mrs. Annie Marler, and Mr. Lavan Simmons visited relatives in Opelika Thursday and Friday.

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Miss Libby Kimbro of Kinston had as her Sunday afternoon guest, Mrs. Lucille McRae, who is her sister.

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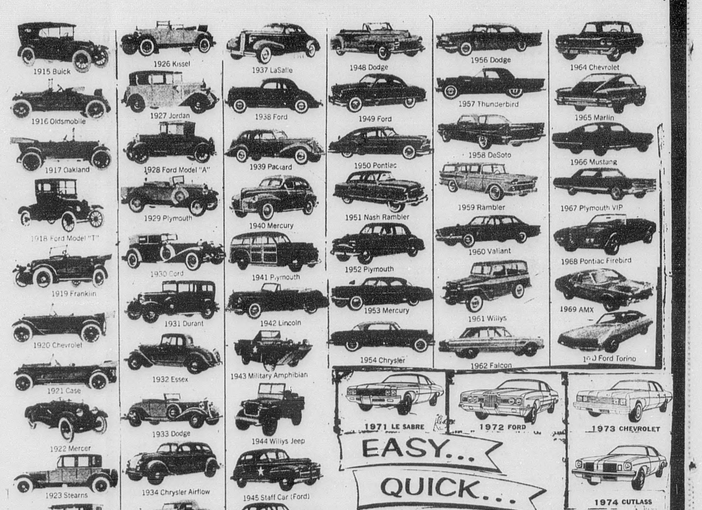

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Kinston Council Accepts $8000 Paving Grant

The Kinston City Council met on Tuesday night, July 19, at city hall, and voted unanimously to adopt a resolution accepting an $8000 grant from the State Highway Department to be used for street repair and paving.

The meeting began at 7:30 p.m. with all members present. Present were Mayor Steve Hunko, City Clerk Peggy Cain, and Council members, Sara Bowden, Houston Martin, Dewey Adams, Harold Rhodes and Mickey Weeks.

After Councilman Adams led the group in prayer, the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The council discussed what work should be done with the $8000 grant, and suggested setting up a priority system. Various projects mentioned included the patching of holes in the downtown area and general paving throughout the city.

The city also received $10,000 to be used to employ a radio dispatcher and policeman, and $500 for recreation equipment.

Councilman Adams said, "When we purchase the equipment, we should keep it in a safe place. When the equipment is used, it should be signed for."

The council agreed to let Coach Eddie Hill and Coach Pete Kelley be in charge of the recreation program for the remainder of the summer, and authorized them to purchase whatever equipment is needed.

Mayor Hunko presented a bill from the Odom Truck Company in the amount of $375 for work done on the City's water tank in 1976. The company claims to have a 10-year contract with the city for maintenance of the tank.

"We can't find a copy of the contract," said Hunko, "and I don't think we should pay the bill until we see the contract!"

The council voted unanimously to withhold payment of the bill until the company sends a copy of the contract to the city.

The council was informed that it had been announced the Kinston Rescue Squad would receive a grant to buy equipment. The amount of the grant was not announced, but it must be matched on a 50-50 basis by the Rescue Squad.

Hunko told the members the time had come to cut grass in the city, and asked what they wanted done.

Councilman Dewey Adams offered the use of a tractor at no cost if the city would be responsible for the possible damage to the tractor while it is on the job.

The council voted to pay a man $20 a day to operate the tractor, and agreed to buy the diesel fuel for the tractor. The council also agreed to be responsible for repairing or replacing a tire if it is punctured while cutting the grass.

In other action, the council

***voted to raise the rental fee of City Hall to all organizations. The fee will be $15 for the hall and $20 for use of the hall and the kitchen facilities;

***received literature from Mayor Hunko outlining the powers of the Mayor and of the council;

***voted to return meeting time to 7:00 p.m.;

***agreed to pick-up garbage at the roadside park near Kinston;

***voted to transfer Jimmy Hildreth from radio dispatcher to policeman;

***approved one week vacation for Police Chief Randall Brooks;

***and, approved a motion that the city continue paying expenses of Howard Smith (Supt. of Water Department) for extra work if the work is approved by Councilman Weeks.

Insurance Firm Plans Move In Near Future

Construction is nearing completion on the new office facility of National Security Insurance Company, according to W. L. Brunson, President and Chief Executive Officer of the company.

Brunson stated that the new company headquarters, located on Highway 84 near the intersection of the Samson Highway, is scheduled for completion within the next few weeks.

The new, modern office facility is designed to meet the existing needs of the company as well as allowing for future expansion and growth. Some features will include a centralized filing and storage area where all records of policyholders are stored along with a spacious policyholder service area on the second floor of the new building and adjacent to the company's computer center where all policy transactions are processed.

The modern concrete and steel structure will be the headquarters for all corporate office personnel and will also house the executive offices of the company. "Our new facility was designed with our present as well as our future needs in mind," stated Brunson. "The company experienced a healthy growth of insurance in force as well as premium income during the past fiscal year and we anticipate this growth to continue due to the efforts of our hundreds of home service agents and general agents all over the country."

National Security sells life and health and accident insurance in a number of states through the parent company and also markets fire as well as automobile insurance through its wholly-owned subsidiary, National Security Fire and Casualty Company, the offices of which will also be located at the new facility.

"An announcement will be forthcoming within the next several weeks of an informal 'Open House' we have planned at our new headquarters building, and we invite and encourage our many friends and policyholders to tour our new, modern office facilities and see how the building was designed with service to our customers in mind," the company official stated.

National Security Insurance Company and National Security Fire and Casualty Company presently employs approximately 75 people at its Corporate Offices in Elba.

Mitchell Named New Brockton Elementary Head

Mr. Jimmy H. Baker, Superintendent of Coffee County Schools announces the appointment of Mr. Larcher C. Mitchell as principal of the New Brockton Elementary School. The Coffee County School System has recently reorganized the structure of the three county high schools so that the elementary and secondary will become separate administrative divisions. This will facilitate more efficient administrative supervision of the instructional program. Mr. Mitchell is a graduate of Southern Mississippi and began his duties in New Brockton on July 1, 1977." He is married to the former Karie Paschall of Geneva and they have one child.

Mr. Johnny Sanders and Mr. Pat Taylor, currently employed by the Coffee County School System, will assume primary responsibility for the elementary program at Zion Chapel and Kinston respectively.

Fire At Dorsey Trailers Injures Five Workers

HANK WEEKS, with apron, is shown explaining to Dorsey official Dave Logan, hands on hips, what he thinks happened just before he leaped from the trailer when the flash fire hit.

CHARED and buckled sides on the trailer seconds after the fire had been extinguished. Evidence of the intense heat was the twisted condition of the metal tools in the tool boxes used by the workmen.

HOSPITAL technicians are shown preparing burn victim Charlie Smith for evacuation in the MAST helicopter shown in the background.

Officials Blame Fumes From Glue But Can't Explain Source Of Spark

A flash fire at the Elba plant of Dorsey Trailers Friday afternoon hospitalized five men with extensive burns. The fire was reported to the Elba Fire Department at 2:52 p.m., however, company employees using emergency fire fighting equipment had the blaze under control when the fire trucks arrived. The fast action was aided by the fact that several employees of the trailer manufacturing firm are also members of the volunteer fire department, and other firemen went directly to the scene from their places of employment.

Those injured were Wiley Williams and John Coleman of Elba, Raymond Chamblee and Charles Smith of Opp, and Jerome Flowers of Brundidge. Hank Weeks, Jr., of Opp, the sixth member of the crew working in the area of the flash fire reportedly escaped without injuries.

The five burn victims were taken to the Elba General Hospital by either the Elba Rescue Squad or by the Dorsey emergency vehicle. All five were later transferred to University Hospital in Birmingham by two MAST helicopters from Ft. Rucker.

Reports Wednesday were that all five victims are recovering remarkably well. Both Flowers and Coleman who were confined to intensive care, were expected to come out of that section by today. The other three were reported to be recovering even faster, with hopes of being discharged within a few weeks.

Company officials and fellow employees reported that the men were installing "scuff bands" in the almost-completed trailer when the fire of unknown origin flashed through the van burning the men, the trailer and setting fire to wooden rafters in an older part of the plant.

The men were rushed to the first aid station where they were treated by the registered nurse on duty; the trailer was pulled from the building by a switch truck and the fire quickly extinguished from both the trailer and the building. Company officials are investigating the cause of the accident.

Weeks told representatives of THE ELBA CLIPPER that the instant he knew the fire was there, he jumped out and that instant between the time he jumped and the others got out was enough to burn them badly.

Flying the first of two helicopters from Rucker were Captain Randy Sexton and 1st Lt. Paul Gillette along with medic SSG Terry Hammes. The second helicopter was manned by Captain David L. Conner, 1st Lt. John M. Adams and Sp. 5 Lee Carpenter.

Sheriff Reports Some Relief In Jail Population

The Coffee County jail in Elba was overflowing with 41 inmates Tuesday morning, according to Sheriff Neil Grantham. There were prisoners sleeping in halls, on floors and everywhere. However, ten of the state inmates have been transferred to either other jails or state prisons.

One was wanted in Geneva County also and he, along with two other state prisoners, were transferred to Geneva County. The transfer to Geneva was out of the goodness of their heart, Grantham said.

Three of the inmates were charged with escaping from the work release center (already serving state time); one was transferred to the Frank Lee Youth Center, and the work release violators and three others were transferred to Kilby.

The jail has a capacity of thirty-four inmates, and Grantham reports that if at all possible, local citizens charged with minor crimes or traffic offenses are being taken or sent home with less than ideal bonds to keep down the population in the jail; yet it stays full and overflowing most of the time.

Stolen Pump Returned To Use By City Employees

Elba city officials report the return of a "mud hog" pump that was stolen from a location on Washington Avenue several weeks ago. The pump was found by a man plowing for Ronnie Nicholson, who loaded it up and returned it to city hall.

Nicholson said it was in a ditch beside the road and was almost covered up from work by a road grader.

Garbage Body Again Dominates Elba Meeting

The Elba City Council met Tuesday night with all present and the highlight of the evening again was a debate about the garbage truck body. This week the potential seller, Frank Moore of Enterprise, was at the meeting and expressed disgust with Mayor Folsom and said he wanted to talk with the council and tell them what had happened. Following this statement, Moore and Folsom got into a heated exchange several times. The discussion began to wind down quickly when Folsom told, "the tail gate belongs to Elba, the garbage truck belongs to Elba and you are only a salesman and have no authority to decide things for the City of Elba."

The discussion opened with Moore being recognized and in response to being asked to please state his business, Moore said, " I want to see what the council is going to do about the garbage truck."

Folsom then announced that the old truck was fixed and was back at work picking up garbage on the regular route. He noted that the total bill for the repair (including all parts and labor) totalled $325.60. Folsom then compared this several times throughout the discussion with the price quoted by Moore that reportedly ranged upwards from $5000 to $12,000 before the talk turned to a new garbage body two weeks ago.

Moore asked, "What are you (Folsom) going to do about the word you gave me in my office?" Mayor Folsom responded by quoting the law that prohibits him from buying anything over $2000 without taking bids.

Moore then stated that Folsom told him he was declaring it an emergency so that it could be bought that day without bids. He added, "You think a man over 70 years old and with a reputation good enough to be elected by the people of a town---you could take his word."

Folsom said, "An individual you can, but a city, you can't."

Moore again said, "The council is who I came to talk to. I didn't come to talk to you anyway."

When Folsom noted that the repairs cost only $325.60 to repair, Moore said, "You don't know what you are talking about, you are not a machinery man, nor a solid waste expert."

Councilmen Jimmy Wise and Cleo Hawkins made a few comments about the matter and helped establish when and what had been said but little else. Councilman John W. Sharpless suggested working out something so the man would not lose any money, and both Folsom and Hawkins indicated this was not legal.

Moore left the meeting and was heard to say he would "sue".

A group of citizens from the Mulberry Heights area appeared and asked when they were going to get relief on their drainage problems. Spokesman for the group, Ernest Ellison, said they had been promised and promised but nothing had been done. Nathan Lee said during the last rain, he had to dip sewage from his bathtub because everything was stopped up. The council and the city clerk told the group that the county was to do some work on the road, since it was a county road. Then the city could do the ditch work. However before they left them, the group was told that the city would start work first thing Wednesday morning. Members of the group were Ellison and Lee, Leo Henderson, Arch Barnes, Will Rogers and Sam Siler.

The council voted unanimously to place Street Superintendent Gerald Wambles and Assistant Superintendent J. C. Stuckey on straight salary, and stressed that they didn't want them to lose any money from the change.

No action was taken on the purchase of two new police cars, eventhough bids had been sent out and two dealers said it was too late to special order a 1977 police car, and certain changes would have to be made in the specs to order a 1978 model.

Fleetwood Carsley was named to handle the work of City Recorder during the time Bill Stokes is sick and unable to work. Stokes is in a Birmingham hospital. Carsley had agreed to fill in during the weeks or months Stokes was unable to work.

A public hearing was advertised and held on rezoning two pieces of property in Elba. The first was to rezone some property on the Troy Highway to allow parking of a mobile home of Mrs. Sue Bonan on land owned by her parents. The action was opposed by Foy English, who ajoins the property, and the council turned the rezoning down. It had previously been recommended by the zoning board.

The other case concerned rezoning some property on the Brantley Highway for construction of a shopping center. The council tabled any action on this matter until the owner, Mac Champion, or the developer furnished a drawing of what would be constructed. This was in spite of Champion repeatedly telling the council about the size of the parking lot, what type business was expected there and that nothing concrete could be drawn up until the stores had been committed to the center and expressed their desires and needs. Councilman Sharpless made a motion to accept the recommendation of the zoning board to rezone, but it died for lack of a second. There were no citizens present objecting to the rezoning. Champion said he would try to get them something on paper the next council meeting.

The council adjourned, but went back into a special called session at 9:25 p.m. after Mayor Folsom remembered the need for a riding lawnmower. Folsom couldn't find Councilmen Bussell and Sharpless in the area and said he would call them Wednesday morning and tell them what happened and why. The council accepted Folsom's recommendation and voted to buy a Snapper mower from Elba Small Motors for $700. The meeting was adjourned.

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